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The Honorable Howard M. Metzenbaum
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Metzenbaum:

Thank you for your letter of 19 September with a copy of a telegram from [redacted] of Ohio University expressing his concerns about the welfare of [redacted]

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Let me assure you that this Agency neither participated in nor countenanced the [redacted] kidnapping of [redacted]. The Central Intelligence Agency does not condone such acts against the civilian populace.

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The Senate Select Committee on Intelligence has been interested in the plight of [redacted] and this Agency has been continually providing such information as has come to our knowledge to that Committee. In accordance with procedures established by the Congress, I am required to respectfully refer you to the Oversight Committee.

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Sincerely,

/s/Charles A. Briggs

Charles A. Briggs
Director, Office of Legislative Liaison

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